

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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**Incident:** Battery on a Peace Officer, Felony Resisting Arrest

**Location:** 3291 Loma Vista Rd (VCMC)

**Date/Time Occurred**: 04/18/18 @ 1905 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura PD Patrol, Ventura County Probation

Victim(s): Ventura Police Officer

Suspect(s): Brother, Henri 54 year old, Ventura vagrant

Report Number: 18-5334

## Narrative:

On the above date, the suspect, Henri Brother, was at VCMC when ER staff became concerned that he had a weapon. Brother is on active PROS probation for weapons charges. When the VPD Patrol Officer attempted to search him per his probation terms, Brother struck the officer, causing injury. Brother was taken into custody with the assistance of Ventura County Probation Officers and he was found to be in possession of an instrument that could be used as a weapon. The officer received treatment at VCMC for the injury and was not able to return to work.

Brother was arrested and booked at the Ventura County Jail for battery on a Peace Officer that causes injury and felony resisting arrest. Due to Brother being a PROS Offender, he was also placed on a probation hold.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.